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1. It was learned on 20 March 1950 that VI units of more than a thousand men were transferred to Erfurt (M 51/J 36) during the previous two weeks. These units, the first to be stationed in Erfurt, were quartered in the cantonment buildings near the northern railroad station. Rapid-fire rifles and submachine guns were seen \*.
2. The "Zentrale der Grenzpolizei" (border police center) is located in Eisenach (L 51/H 76). All persons detained for violation of border regulations are turned in there. \*\*

Comment:

\* Effort is being made to determine previous station of the VI units.

\*\* The title of "Zentrale der Grenzpolizei" is unknown.

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